

Local Intelligence.

TUESDAY.

Secretary Gosper has returned from a trip to his stock ranch on the headwaters of the Verde.

Gilmer & Salisbury's stages are making good time of late. Thanks to James Stewart, the efficient manager of the line.

The resolution expelling Chas. C. O'Donnell has been adopted by the Constitutional Convention of California.

The largest stock of boots and shoes now on hand will be sold cheap, by L. Bashford & Co.

Gideon Correll and family are expected in Prescott during the week.

Mrs. Hanson, we are sorry to state, is quite low with a severe attack of pneumonia.

A. Allen, the brick architect, is doing some work for Geo. W. Hance, at the Genesee.

Robert Garde, of Kirkland Valley, is up taking a peep at the law makers from the various parts of the Territory.

Miss Nellie Banghart, is on a visit to her sister Mrs. E. W. Wells.

Mr. Asa Kimball, of Kimball Bros. Signal, is visiting Tule River. He hails from the tropical clime of Signal.

A stroll to the north end of the village will satisfy the mind that Prescott is growing fast. It is making strides that are just immense.

Mr. Frank Meador, who is one of Prescott's most trustworthy and competent young men, is in charge of Gilmer & Salisbury's affairs in this village. He fills the bill, and will continue to do so.

A. M. Webster, one of the original discoverers of Rich Hill (Anelope), and for many years with A. H. Peoples of Wicki-tup, recently died at San Bernardino.

The members of the Legislature and the citizens of Prescott have gotten up a request, asking Hon. Thomas Fitch to deliver a lecture at some convenient time during the present term.

It is now thought that the Vulture company will commence operations soon, when we expect to see Wicki-tup once more a flourishing town.

Leadville, Colorado, is said to be one of the liveliest places in the West. Persons conversant with its merits think that it will be a city of 20,000 inhabitants inside the next twelve months.

Messrs Jackson & Tompkins are fast putting the finishing touch on their saloon, which, when completed, cannot be surpassed in Northern Arizona for style.

Mr. Symes, the boss smelter at the Agua Fria works, arrived in town last evening, with some thirty pounds of refined silver bullion. This metal was taken from the clean-up.

The business at the Prescott Post-office is quite creditably conducted under the management of the efficient gentleman and Postmaster Mr. Otis.

Don A. E. Davis is now with his family at Phoenix, Los Angeles County, Cal. Mr. Davis expects to return to Arizona in about two months.

All of the escaped prisoners have been heard from, and will be returned to their old quarters in the County Jail, in due course of time.

Mr. L. Livingston, Jake Marks, Hugo Richards and several other gentlemen are about to visit the mines of Humboldt District.

John A. Risher has succeeded in swapping hats with some unfortunate steamer on this trip, whom he evidently cheated or else gave considerable to boot.

Hon. J. H. Behan is one of the best legislators in the House. True to his friends every time, and does not allow unscrupulous influences to change him in the least. He is true blue and will do to the top.

OUR INVALIDS.—We are pleased to state that some of our citizens who have been dangerously ill for some days past are slowly recovering, and are out of danger with the exception of Hank Bledsoe who is still in a critical condition.

Mr. D. C. Thorne manages to keep business lively at his attractive rooms. The "Cabin" is a favorite place of resort, and under the management of the old which these will remain so.

Remember the theater this evening. "The Millionaire" is a fine piece, and those taking part in the carrying out of the play are all well up in their various characters, and the chances are that the entertainment will equal anything yet placed on the boards.

The Legislature has been invited to visit the Public School on some day this week. A young lady pupil has been invited to write an essay, to be read by her on the occasion of the visit, and we understand has consented to do so.

Mr. A. H. Peoples, the representative man in the mining town of Wicki-tup, is now in Prescott. The attachment Mr. Peoples comes here to look after some legal matters which he has instituted against one of our citizens.

The Cumberland Gold and Silver Mining Company has filed articles of incorporation to mine in Yavapai County, Arizona. Capital, \$100,000. Directors—L. Jaffe, H. B. Berryman, Wm. Haselup, A. M. Womble, Wm. Stuart.

The Los Angeles Star, which advocates the interests of the working classes, and formerly edited by Rev. A. M. Campbell, has again resumed the publication of a daily. The Star is a good paper, engaged in a noble cause, and we wish it success.

Times in Los Angeles county are represented as being very dull. Farm produce is worth almost nothing, and the question as to how many of the farmers live and make money is quite beyond the power of the best informed in the premises to solve.

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Diligent search has been made for Mr. A. Hande, partner of Hon. A. E. Davis, all over California and along the road from the Colorado River to San Bernardino, without any clue whatever as to his whereabouts. His sudden disappearance has caused many conjectures upon the part of the people as to his chances of being alive. Many think he "skipped the country" while others are of opinion that he was foully dealt with and is buried on the desert between Arizona and San Bernardino.

The Gem Restaurant is now a real fixture. The ladies who are running this popular establishment are uniting in their efforts, and are succeeding admirably to make the Gem the very best boarding house in Northern Arizona. Mrs. S. J. Munds, the popular dressmaker, and Mrs. Wilson, a genuine caterer and judge of the culinary department, are the proprietresses of this establishment, which is fast gaining a reputation and becoming the favorite restaurant of the Village.

W. K. Ferris, who for so many years well and faithfully carried mail between Prescott and Wicki-tup, and now, an honest tiller of the soil, with headquarters at his ranch, Minnehaha Flat, came into the city yesterday and greeted his old friends with a pleasant smile and hearty shake of the paw. He informs us that the new saw mill at the Flat will soon be put into motion and the manufacture of lumber commenced in earnest.

Mr. Wm. Corey, formerly a resident of this county, and an active business man, but for the last six years a resident of Mohave county, arrived from Signal yesterday. Mr. Corey is as natural as an old shoe, not understanding he has had his limbs broken, ear torn off, etc., by runaway teams. This is his first visit to Prescott in three years, and he expresses himself as surprised in the rapid strides of progress made in the town of Prescott during that time.

WEDNESDAY.

All teams engaged in hauling from Yuma in the direction of Phoenix, Florence, Tucson, etc., have been notified to stop at Adonde, 32 miles east of Yuma, and receive their freight there from Yuma to Prescott.

The grade of the Southern Pacific Railroad was finished on the 8th instant beyond the Prescotte Peak, something more than eleven miles east of Adonde.

The Sentinel of the 11th says new thorough brass wagons have been put upon the stage line from Prescott to Phoenix, a vast improvement on the buckboard formerly in use.

Yuma let her city election go entirely by default on Tuesday, January 7th. No one was a candidate, and no polls were opened. The city fathers will probably move up to Adonde to hold their Council hereafter.

HEAPS OF YELLOW APPLES.—Henry Matlock's team arrived to-day, having on board six hundred boxes of Sonoma county apples, for Bones & Spencer, besides a general assortment of candies, cigars and other good things.

Mr. W. H. Scamans, of Oakland, Cal., is making a look at Prescott, and intends, before returning to California, to visit the Kit Carson, Gillet, Tiptop, Peck, Bradshaw, Cave Creek and Phoenix. Mr. Scamans comes well recommended as a business man and gentleman, and by one of the leading business men of San Francisco.

The Sentinel says that L. A. Smith & Co., have contracted to supply the S. P. R. Co., with all the beef needed while constructing the road to Maricopa Wells. Col. Barney and David Neahr, have established branch houses at Adonde, 32 miles east of Yuma.

The miserable idea of having the ladies who wish to attend the masquerade ball this evening, assemble at the Whipple Park Club Rooms, is to be carried according to announcement in yesterday's issue, notwithstanding the snow, six inches deep, makes it almost out of the question for them to do so.

Hon. Thos. Cordis, Internal Revenue Collector, has gone on a business trip to Phoenix. He took passage with S. W. Craigie, Esq., of Leips, Craigie & Co., Los Angeles, who happened to be going that way with a very comfortable traveling outfit of his own.

A Wall street broker laid a wager, the other day, that Christopher Columbus discovered the continent of America, and, of course, lost it. It is surprising how many intelligent persons entertain the same idea. Knowing that he discovered a number of islands of the Western hemisphere, they think that he must have discovered this continent also. They forget that he died in ignorance of the real grandeur of his achievement, believing Cuba terra incognita, and the others lands he had found to be remote parts of Asia.

THEATRE.—The request to play Richelieu mentioned in yesterday's issue, has, we are informed, been favorably considered by the Prescott Dramatic Club, and it will be placed on the boards again in about ten days. This slight delay is rendered necessary by the absence of De Mauprat, (Mr. Cordis) at Phoenix, and in consequence of the time required for the preparation of proper costumes. "Helping Hands" and "A Regular Fix" will be given by our amateurs next Tuesday night.

Work is progressing favorably at the Black Jack. The mine continues to look well, and a good winter business on it is predicted. The cross-cut to-day is only a few inches from the main vein, and the operations in other parts of the mine have all promising complexion. Gen. John B. Winters has been appointed Superintendent of the mine and has assumed the management of the property. Parties interested are very much pleased at this selection.—Idaho Avante.

THE TIGER MILL.—From Sheriff Walker, who returned last evening from Walnut Grove, we learn that the freighter, which was taken with ten wagons, had arrived there with the Tiger quartz mill. At the Grove the machinery is to be transferred from the wagon of Mr. Bryan to those of Mr. Chas. Genung or Jas. Patterson, which are propelled by ox power, and taken into the Tiger, over the rough country necessary to be traversed between the two places.

As the machinery is so near its destination and the preliminary arrangements for putting the mill have been perfected, we may reasonably expect to see the stamps in full operation inside the next sixty days. The Tiger company has, under the superintendency of Mr. Helm, conducted its affairs in a business-like manner, and one bordering upon a more strictly successful mining basis than any other company in this section.

Mr. Fiske, agent for Jno. A. Walsh sub-contractor of the Prescott and Santa Fe mail route, informs us that the suits brought against the Prescott and Santa Fe Stage Company by Ben Baker and Geo. W. Hance, were sworn out by Ben Baker and Geo. W. Hance. The stock, etc., was taken possession of by the Sheriff, and for a time, at least, our mail contractors on the Santa Fe route will be unable to carry the mails.

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One Hundred Thousand Pounds.

Byron's three-act play of £100,000 was played at the Prescott Theatre last evening with marked success. Although the audience was not as large as on former occasions, owing to the inclemency of the weather, nevertheless the house was pretty well filled. The play passed smoothly and was well received. Mr. Lloyd made the most of the character of "Flucker." "Gerald Griffin," the lover, by Mr. Fremont, was well taken, and he satisfied the audience to a moral certainty that he is no novice in the art of making love, and especially in kissing. It would not do, however, for our young friend to practice the last named highly felicitous and agreeable accomplishment anywhere within a hundred yards or so of the "old folks" or a jealous opponent, as he would certainly give himself away judging from the way he went into the business last evening. "Major Blackshaw," by Mr. Rosh, was a good character, and sustained very creditably by the incoherence of "Joel Barlow," the old sheep keeper, by H. A. Du Souchet, was performed to the letter. He was perfect in his make-up, supported his character through to the end with ease, and left impressed upon the minds of the audience that he is equal to the best professionals on the American stage. "John Rymythorne," by Mr. Masterson, was just immense, and beyond our ability to criticize. He was good, good, good. "Pyelich," by Hinson Thomas, was well played, his make-up excellent, and his character easily sustained throughout. The other gentlemen taking minor parts exhibited more than ordinary ability throughout the entire play. "Alice Barlow," (niece to the old sheep keeper), by Miss Etie Parker, could hardly have been done better. Miss Parker has much stage talent, and is quite a favorite with our people. "Mrs. Barlow," by Mrs. Carter, was the principal character taken by the ladies, and we doubt very much whether there can be found a lady in the Territory who could carry the part through with that judgment and ease which characterized her entire performance last evening. "Jane Plover," by Mrs. C. W. Beane, was creditably played. Miss Carr Wilkins took the part of "Arabella," and made a good one. She has more natural stage talent than any of our lady amateur performers, but lacks training. The Prescott Dramatic Club has many clever performers in its organization, and they perform everything well, and are improving with experience very materially.

THURSDAY.

A beautiful Buggy Robe for sale at Ben Weaver's.

The first invoice of Buffalo Robes ever brought to the Prescott market, was displayed at Ben Weaver's Ready Pay Store.

Last night was the coldest of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Shivers, from China valley, are in town visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. L. Fisher.

Under Sheriff Walker has settled with the county, the late Sheriff, Ed. F. Bowers, affairs satisfactorily. Everything was correct from all sources.

Jerry Hayward is to be Division Agent for the new Sub-Contractor, Walsh, on the Prescott and Santa Fe Mail line, from the Prescott and Fort Wingate division.

John J. Chapman, who is under sentence of death, and who escaped from the County Jail last week, was brought in from the Peck last evening by officer Mulvenon, and placed in close confinement.

We have received a nicely printed pamphlet of the roster of troops in this Department, commanded by General O. B. Wilcox. The work was done by Charley Alabach, the headquarters printer.

We were pleased to meet on the street, this morning, Capt. C. P. Eagan, the very affable and competent Chief Commissary Officer of this Department, who returned last evening from Oakland, Cal., where he has been visiting Mrs. Eagan and his interested family.

A letter from C. L. Christensen, of Brigham City, Little Colorado, speaks of four inches of snow at that burg directly after New Years, but at the time of writing—date not given—the weather was warm, clear and beautiful.

THE DUDLEY HOUSE.—Owing to the decease of Mr. Ed. F. Bowers, who had bargained for the property, the same has been taken back by Mr. Williams, and will be kept until further notice by the undersigned.

Parties holding claims against the McCrackin Consolidated Mining Company, are requested to call at saloon of P. M. Fisher, at once—where they will hear of something to their advantage.

We print in full, to-day, Hon. J. M. Kirkpatrick's speech delivered in the council January 14th, on the franchise for the railroad in Arizona. The speech is pertinent to the question which is just now agitating the people of Southern Arizona. Every person should read it. It contains much valuable historical information, and is rich, rare and spicy.

Mr. P. Thomas, of Pinal county, introduced a very important measure in the Council yesterday, on the subject of asking Congress to establish a United States Branch Mint at Florence in this Territory. Perhaps the absence of Mr. Fitch, the President of the Arizona Territory, and the fact that the Arizona Territory is a new one, may have prevented the measure from being introduced.

IMPORTANT MEASURE.—Hon. Pat Hamilton introduced in the House this morning, and had referred to the Committee on Corporations—a bill to repeal the act of the last legislature granting the right of way, exemption from taxation and other privileges to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

THEY DIED FOR THE GUILTY OF MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE.—The jury in the case of the People vs. Troy Dye, for the murder of A. M. Tullis, in the District Court at Sacramento, on the morning of the 11th inst. retired ten minutes after the jury retired twenty minutes after one, with a verdict as above. The Court fixed Jan. 24th, for passing sentence of death upon him. Creed Hammond made a powerful appeal for sympathy for his client, and tried hard to show him weak and irresponsible, but the jury failed to see it. Anderson's trial began on the 12th. Lawton is still at large.

DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN.—Evermont Bledsoe, commonly known as Hank Bledsoe, died yesterday morning at the Sister's Hospital of pneumonia. Mr. Bledsoe, we believe was born at Ottawa, Saline County, Missouri, and was at the time of his death about 43 years of age. He came to Arizona several years since, as wagon master for the freighter Stanford who figured conspicuously in this section and finally failed. The deceased has been in the employ of our saw-mill men, A. O. Noyes, Geo. W. Curtis and others for the larger part of the time during the last seven years. Bledsoe was honest, a hard worker, capable of conducting any ordinary business and had many warm friends all over the country who will be pained by the loss of his death. The subject of the above sketch was sick but a few days, having we believe come in here two weeks ago with his team from Ehrenberg.

Friday's News.

The District Court meets to-morrow. See proposals for County supplies.

Capt. Eagan, has an important "ad," in to-day's MINER. Read it.

The New Mexico mail is now being carried on horse back.

John White, from Peoples Valley, is in town.

The team of Mr. Greenup, came in yesterday from the Colorado river, with 21,000 pounds of merchandise.

Snow, several inches deep, fell in Peoples Valley.

"Helping Hands" and "A Regular Fix" are to be placed on the Boards at the New Theatre on Tuesday Jan. 21st.

James Bailey who lives at Yuma made application to the Supreme Court for a writ of mandamus and was refused.

Marat Masterson District Attorney, has received the delinquent tax roll of Yavapai County.

P. M. Thurnman was admitted yesterday to practice in the Supreme Court of this Territory upon certificate from the Supreme Court of Texas.

Three divorce bills were introduced in the House this morning. This is the commencement. There are still five cases to be heard from.

Major McDaniel asked for the use of the new court room in which to deliver his lecture on Bonanza Arizona. The Board of Supervisors do not feel that they are justified in lending the court room for lectures and therefore refused the gentleman the use of the same.

CHANDLER, of Clay Buford, the Indian scout, living in Southern Arizona, has had his name changed to Chandler Chapman. Bridwell. We doubt very much whether the Indians with whom Mr. Bridwell is quite a favorite, will know the gentleman under his new name.

Territorial Warrants Payable.

Territorial Warrants, drawn on the General Fund, are not payable until and including number 217, series of 1877.

T. J. BUTLER, Treas.

There are still 19 Warrants, aggregating the sum of \$2,388.73, exclusive of interest, outstanding against the General Fund for 1877, which are not yet payable. For the year 1878, one hundred and twenty-five Warrants on the General Fund were presented to the Treasurer, and not paid for want of funds, aggregating \$30,413.43. The important Counties are yet to hear from for the quarter ending December 31st, 1878, which, it is estimated, will pay off the outstanding Warrants for the year 1877, leaving the floating debt of the Territory, that is, unpaid Warrants on the General Fund, on Jan. 1st, 1879, \$30,413.43 with say one year interest, if paid within a year, amounting to \$3,041.34, or a total debt of \$33,454.76.

In addition to the above, the bonded indebtedness of the Territory is \$35,000, bearing interest at 10 per cent. per annum, payable in June and November, as follows: Prison bonds, \$25,000, the interest on which is \$2,500 annually, payable in November. Wagon Road bonds, \$10,000, the interest on which is \$1,000, payable in June. This interest has been regularly paid as it became due.

BORN.

At Signal City, Mohave county, on Saturday, Jan. 12, 1879, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Potts, a daughter, weighing 10 lbs. A valuable New Year's gift.

IMPORTANT MASONIC NOTICE.

At the regular monthly meeting of Azlan Lodge, No. 177, P. A. M., on Saturday evening, January 25th, there will be a business proposition of much importance presented for consideration, and every member, who can conveniently come, is requested to be present. By order of the Lodge. W. N. Kelly, Secretary.

Assessment Notice.

To Loren S. Jones, Wm. Mann, J. M. Wilson, Ben Gardner, Wm. Cole, Geo. Becker, and all others holding claims against the property of the Lorenzo Lodge, Tiger District, Bradshaw.

You are hereby notified that if you do not appear within (90) ninety days from the date hereof and pay to the undersigned the amount of your claim, as required by law, the said claim will be a forfeit of your interest in said land, and you will be liable to the laws of the United States and this Territory, now in force.

REDEMPTION OF COUNTY WARRANTS.

I will pay, on presentation, the following Warrants on the GENERAL FUND.

Series of 1877, from No. 136 to 223 inclusive.

CONTINGENT FUND.

Warrants, Series 1878, from Nos. 3 to 10 inclusive.

The holders of said warrants are hereby notified that interest thereon ceases from the date hereof until the date of the redemption of the same, and that if the same be not presented within ten days, the funds apart for their redemption will be applied to the payment of warrants next in the order in which they were issued.

Prescott, Jan. 13, 1879.

FISHER'S, Montezuma Street, Prescott.

THE BEST OF WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

DISPENSED AT THE BAR.

Comfortable CLUB ROOMS attached. The old and the new are cordially invited to call and see.

THE GEM RESTAURANT!

The undersigned have leased the building north of Babble's Brewery, on Montezuma Street, and have opened a first-class RESTAURANT AND DINING ROOMS!

The tables will be supplied with the best market foods, and meals will be served at all hours. Prompt and courteous attention extended to guests.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to the Miner.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Butler submitted a resolution in the Senate, directing the Secretary of the Interior to enquire and report what company is building a railroad across the public domain in Arizona, and by what authority the road is being constructed—agreed to.

House Committee of the Whole amended the Mexican War Pension Act so as to include all survivors of the Union army during the late rebellion. Committee agreed without dissent.

The Senate confirmed L. B. Prince, Chief Justice of New Mexico, and H. S. Fitzgerald postmaster at Yuma, A. T.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—The court martial of Major Reno resumed its session this morning.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 14.—Senator Merriman withdraws from the contest for reelection. Gov. Vance will be nominated.

Omaha, Jan. 14.—A dispatch received by Gen. Crook this morning says 30 Cheyennes were killed last night at an outbreak at Fort Robinson.

Washington, Jan. 14th.—Capt. McKibbin, Fifteenth Infantry, is ordered to accompany recruits to the Pacific coast by sea.

The President has ordered the setting apart of lands on Salt River in Arizona for a reservation for the Pima and Maricopa Indians.

San Francisco, Jan. 14.—The Nevada Legislature to-day elected John P. Jones United States Senator.

The giant powder works of Bandman, Nelson & Co. blew up, with a terrific explosion, at half-past two this afternoon.

These mills are situated in the heart of the sand hills. Three white men and one Chinese were killed, and many white and Chinese were dangerously injured.

Loss about \$50,000.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Senators Allison, from the Committee on Military Academy appropriation bill, submitted a report which was agreed to, the House having agreed to the report yesterday.

House.—The committee on postal offices and post roads, to-day agreed that Chairman Washburn to report a bill as prepared by him for the classification of mail matter, as a substitute for the bill heretofore reported, and is now on the House calendar.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The West-bound passenger train on the Colorado Pacific railroad collided with an East-bound freight train, at Otero station, near Elko, yesterday. Both engines were damaged and the cars piled up, but no person seriously hurt.

To-day's Dispatches.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The House, last night, resumed the consideration of the bill to amend the issue of certificates of deposit—passed.

In the House, this morning, the Speaker announced the regular order to be the consideration of the bill reported last night from the committee on Ways and means to facilitate the funding of the National debt, and the pending question to be on the passage of the bill. The bill passed.

The Senate passed the bill for arrears of pension as it came from the House; also, the bill to improve the Mississippi river.

The President to-day told a delegation of citizens from Pennsylvania that the Indians were not likely to be turned over to the Army.

Paris, Jan. 16.—President McMahon has pardoned 2,245 Communists.

McMahon gives a grand dinner to-morrow in honor of General Grant. All the French Generals, Admirals, Cabinet, foreign Ministers and American residents are invited.

STOCKS.